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Famed Sprinter, General Killed

WASHINGTON (AP)—Major General William P. Upshur, commanding general of U.S. marines, department of the Pacific; Capt. Charles Paddock, former Olympic track star, and four other persons were killed in an airplane crash near Sitka, Alaska, the navy announced this afternoon.

Japs Slacking

OTTAWA (CP)—Resources Minister Crerar told in the House of Commons this afternoon he does not think Japanese employed on road-building projects in British Columbia are giving as much work as might be expected from them.

Bombing of Rome May Be Repeated

LONDON (CP)—The bombing of military targets in Rome will be repeated if and when military necessity dictates and regardless of world reaction, it was emphasized here today by a well qualified source.

1-Armed Ace Missing

LONDON (CP)—Squadron Leader J. A. F. MacLachlan, D.S.O., D.F.C. and bar, famous one-armed R.A.F. pilot, is missing, it was disclosed today.

40 Canadians Die In Japanese Camps

OTTAWA (CP)—A casualty list containing the names of almost 40 Canadian prisoners of war who have died in Japanese hands will be issued tonight, a spokesman for the defence department said this afternoon.

Officials here said the records of the deaths showed many of them due to food deficiency. It was stressed that the diet of a Japanese soldier generally was insufficient for an Occidental.

Betting Bill Hit

OTTAWA (CP)—The Senate banking and commerce committee today voted against an amendment of the Criminal Code making illegal the publication of information "likely" to assist in betting, except by a bona fide newspaper."

North Defences Of Orel Reduced

LONDON (AP)—The Russians captured Bolkhov today, thus finishing the "liquidation of strongly fortified districts of the north of Orel," and have advanced four to five miles in a continuing offensive, a special Moscow communique recorded by the Soviet monitor here said to do.

In 10 days the Germans have lost more than 50,000 killed, the bulletin said. More than 6,000 prisoners were taken. In the same period the Russians destroyed or disabled 776 tanks and more than 900 planes and 882 guns.

In addition, the Red army has captured 372 tanks, 720 guns, 800 mortars, 1,400 machineguns and other booty.

P.O. H. L. Draper, Saanich, Killed

A native son of Royal Oak, P.O. Herbert Lorimer Draper, R.C. N.V.R., has died of injuries overseas, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Draper, McKenzie Avenue.

On convoy escort duty out of Great Britain, P.O. Draper was heard from recently in the Mediterranean. Wednesday his parents received a message that he had been seriously injured and today came word that he had died.

A younger brother, Leslie, is serving with the 1st Division, which has been reported in the thick of the Sicily battles.

Diplomatic Reply

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Lord Halifax, British Ambassador, was asked at a conference of C.I.O. leaders:

"If you were an American citizen, would you vote for President Roosevelt for fourth term?"

The quick reply: "You make me an American citizen and I'll tell you."

40,000 Prisoners; 8th Army Advances Italian Division Surrenders En Masse

Russians Launch Strong Attack Near Leningrad

Bus, Tram Strike For Wage Boost In Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Cars and buses of the Los Angeles Railway Company, which carry 1,000,000 persons to and from work daily, ceased operating at 3 a.m. today because of an operators' work stoppage.

Thousands of workers stood on street corners awaiting transportation. Aircraft plants sent out trucks and trailers equipped with makeshift seats and rounded up their workers. Radio appeals urged motorists to fill their cars with war workers.

Those who depend on the Los Angeles company for transportation will be inconvenienced only for 24 hours said D. D. McClurg, local president of the Union of Drivers and Motorists (A.F.L.).

The 3,000 workers voted the 24-hour stoppage in protest against a War Labor Board's refusal to approve a 10-cent-an-hour increase. Their present scale ranges from 80 to 90 cents.

The army has not taken over, although Maj. M. J. Tierney, executive officer of the labor branch of the 9th Service command, told a meeting Wednesday, after efforts to avert the stoppage had failed, that he would seek to have the army take over operations.

MOTORISTS HELP

However, a million Angelinos got to work.

Thousands of motorists, fortified with new gasoline ration A coupons that became good today, backed their cars from garages and filled them with job-bound war plant workers.

War plants sent out trucks and trailers equipped with makeshift seats. Chartered buses hauled workers to some airplane plants as usual. Pacific Electric Railway interurban cars and bus lines other than the Los Angeles Motor Coach Co., affiliated with the strike-bound streetcar system, operated as usual.

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FIRST PHOTO OF AXIS DEAD IN SICILY—Axis dead lie where they fell when Allied troops swept along this Sicilian road in a successful drive against fortifications in the vital Butera Pass. (Signal Corps Radiophoto).

Allied Successes Swing Spain Away From Axis; Franco Reported Feathering Nest for Exile

By THOMAS M. JOHNSON
Noted Military Writer

There is a good but obscure reason why British, American and Canadian troops can invade Sicily without being struck from behind by a lurking enemy. Potentially, that enemy was Axis-minded Spain. But lately that country has become a lot less Axis-minded and now is no potential enemy at all. Recent reports, some of them sensational, indicate that our African victory may even take Spain out of the Axis and Franco out of Spain.

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They're not so chummy now. Nor so cheerful, either. In 1940, when this picture was made, Hitler and Francisco Franco wore smiles of friendship and confidence. If they met today it would be for mutual consolation—for obvious reasons in Hitler's case, and because the Spanish dictator is reported to be on his way out.

has warned him of this. And even Foreign Minister Gomez Jordana, who succeeded Falangist Suner, has fought against the Falange and for genuine Spanish neutrality. He is said to have won.

But now come reports of even more striking developments.

The Falange is said to be losing ground as rapidly as the United Nations gain it. The two horses it hacked—Hitler and Mussolini—now seem to be coming in last, and Spaniards hate a loser.

Also they fear retribution. The parties coming to the fore favor snuggling up to the winners by restoring the monarchy—a liberal constitutional monarchy. Their representatives have been in touch with the 30-year-old Don Juan, third son of Alfonso XIII, whose widowed Queen Victoria lives in England. There Don Juan was educated, there the Duke of Alba is said to be preparing for a peaceful restoration, once the United Nations seem about to win the war.

MASS GO INTO EXILE

How peaceful such restoration might be depends upon Franco. Some reports say the present dictator opposes restoration. Other reports say he favors it, believing it the only way to stave off revolution against him if the Axis loses the war.

Most interesting of all are reports from several sources that, win or lose, Franco is through; that he knows it, and that he already has deposited in Argentina large funds to support him there in exile.

BOEING EXPANDS

SEATTLE (AP)—Boeing Aircraft Company announced today it probably would establish eight or nine branch plants in western Washington in efforts to solve the manpower shortage by "taking work to the people."

A. W. Jacobson, branch plants superintendent, said the program at present contemplates plants in Bellingham, Stanwood, Tacoma, Chehalis, Olympia, Everett and Hoquiam.

(Establishment of a parts plant in Victoria is in line with the Boeing policy announced above.

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FAIL TO CAPTURE TITO

NEW YORK (AP)—The Berlin radio announced today that the German military commander in Yugoslavia had offered a reward of 100,000 marks for information leading to the capture—dead or alive—of Josip Broz, Montenegrin guerrilla leader popularly known as "Tito."

British Cruisers Bombard Ports On Italian Mainland

By DANIEL DE LUCE

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP)—Fierce fighting continues between the British 8th Army and reinforced German troops near Catania. Allied headquarters announced today, while on the western end of the front the U.S. 8th Army has captured Castelvetrano and Sciacca on Sicily's south coast.

Four enemy planes were destroyed during the operations, compared with the loss of two Allied aircraft.

In the centre, the communiqué said, "Canadian troops continue their advance in the face of determined resistance."

Ramacca, 22 miles southwest of Catania, fell to the British 8th Army.

With collapse of resistance in the western section of the island, the U.S. troops captured these other places in their sweep:

San Stefano Quisquina, about 30 miles south of Palermo on the north coast and 40 miles west of Enna.

San Caterina, seven miles northwest of Caltanissetta and 28 miles south of the north coast.

Menfi, midway between Castelvetrano and Sciacca.

Catibellotta, the Sciacca air-drome.

The airdrome at Castelvetrano.

The American columns now are approaching Palermo, the capital of Sicily, with a last mountain range guarding that vital seaport.

Castelvetrano is 50 miles west of Agrigento and Porto Empedocle, towns on the south coast captured last Saturday and Sunday. Sciacca is about 30 miles west of these two places.

AXIS PRISONERS EXCEED 40,000

The Americans were making swift progress in a drive toward Palermo on the north coast, herding panicky Italians and their German allies into the northeast corner of the island, and the Italian 20th, Asciati division, was said to be surrendering almost en masse as Axis prisoners mounted to more than 40,000.

In the continuing fighting along the east coast between the Simeto River and Catania, Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery's 8th Army made some gains despite heavy demolitions by the enemy and thick minefields.

The Germans were reinforced by fresh reserves, including a parachute infantry battalion. The communiqué said "heavy casualties are being inflicted on the enemy" by the 8th Army.

A Reuters news agency correspondent with the British fleet in the Mediterranean reported that British warships, again boldly steaming up to the Italian mainland, subjected Crotone on the Gulf of Taranto, in the instep of the "boot," to a heavy five-minute bombardment Wednesday morning.

The Patterson said reconnaissance photographs disclosed heavy damage had been inflicted on two railroad yards, and railroad roundhouses, a steel works, a chemical plant, hangars at air bases and a number of parked airplanes had been destroyed or heavily damaged.

ENEMY WITHDRAWS FROM LARGE AREA

Observers in the battle zone reported a general Axis withdrawal in progress from the whole central and western region. Italian prisoners were quoted as saying the Germans already had fled to the east coast, taking all transport and leaving the Italians to walk.

The Algiers radio said this morning the Axis forces already had evacuated Palermo, on the north coast, and Trapani and Marsala, on the western tip. This broadcast also reported a Canadian-American spearhead striking the Italian mainland of the war.

Allied air forces again smashed at the Crotone airfield and Naples

toward Villarosa, nine miles away.

CLOSER TO ROME—Map shows distances traveled by Allied airmen in the bombing of Rome, battle line and direction in Sicily, port of Crotone, bombarded by British warships, blasted by bombers.

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BATTLE-LINE—

MAP—

ITALY—

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All Canadians Safe After Heavy Raid On Italian 'Instep'

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA (AP)—Canadian airmen of the night-flying Wellingtons who plastered targets in and around the Crotone airbase Wednesday and then finished up with more bombs on the railroads and marshaling yards in nearby Naples, said they found enemy anti-aircraft fire much reduced although some searchlights caught a number of aircraft.

(Crotone is on the Gulf of Taranto, the "instep" of Italy's boot.) Sgt. James Eason of Toronto was one of those whose plane was thus spotted but emerged undamaged.

"We flew right through the lighted area and unloaded our bombs on the target," he said. Sgt. Ldr. Joe McCarthy of Toronto described the raid as "a piece of cake."

FO. Ralph Long of Carlyle, Sask., saw a two-ton blockbuster splash in the very centre of his target. "What an explosion," he exclaimed.

All the Canadian planes returned safely.

RECALLS LIBYA

The Italian debacle in central and western Sicily appeared to be on a scale comparable to Marshal Rodolfo Graziani's defeat at the hands of Field Marshal Wavell's British army in the Libyan desert in 1941.

Every spark of fighting spirit appeared to have been stamped out in the ranks of an apathetic and disintegrating Italian army. New batches of prisoners complained that their officers were deserting them, wearing civilian clothing in an effort to escape. Castelvetrano, a city of 25,000 and one of Sicily's three biggest air bases, was captured in a pre-dawn infantry assault. An American armored column of medium and light-tanks and half-tracks exploited the gain, said an Associated Press dispatch from the newly-won city.

The city fell so speedily that the defenders had time to destroy only a few of the military installations. It was disclosed that the often resuscitated 10th Bersaglieri Regiment for the third time had been put out of action. It surrendered at Agrigento without firing a shot.

Four species of malaria organisms which cause human diseases constitute perhaps the most important animal parasites infecting humans; they all belong to the genus *Plasmodium*. And now what we apprehended has come to pass. That which in our fears we foresaw is a very sad reality. For one of the most famous Roman basilicas, that of San Lorenzo outside the walls, consecrated to the veneration of

'Piteous Lot' of Romans Cited In Appeal By Pope

LONDON (CP)—The Vatican radio broadcast Wednesday the text of a letter from Pope Pius XII to his Vicar-General for the District of Rome deplored Monday's bombing of the Italian capital. The text follows in part:

My Dear Lord Cardinal — To you, who have such an intimate share in our government and pastoral care of the Diocese of Rome, centre and head of the Catholic world and of Christian thought and belief, we wish to address ourselves at the moment when our soul is touched with unusual affliction.

You know well how the sad spectacle of ever greater slaughter and ruin, the unhappy record of this present war being hurled upon unarmed and innocent populations, has given us right from the outset of the conflict to do all we could to prevent the sentiment and laws of humanity from being completely drowned and suffocated by passion in the clash of arms.

Accordingly in our messages to all the faithful we called upon the belligerents in both sides that if they wished to hold high the dignity of their country, and the honor of their arms, to respect the inviolability of peaceful citizens and monuments of faith in civilization.

Rome is rich in wonderful religious and artistic monuments, guardian of the most precious documents and relics.

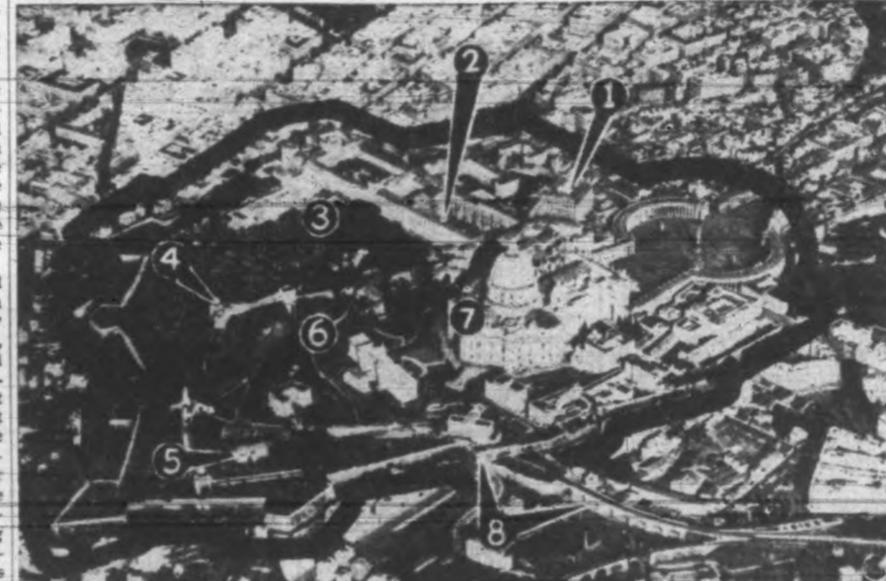
But besides this, almost at the centre of the city and hence exposed to the dangers of aerial attacks, is our Vatican City. An independent and neutral state which contains immeasurable treasures of religion and art, the sacred heritage not only of the Apostolic See but of the entire Catholic world.

We thought ourselves justified in hoping that in the face of such evident reasons the authority with which, however unworthy, we are endowed, the universal recognition of our completely impartial stand above the conflict and of the right and constant charity activity which we have exercised on behalf of all without distinction of nationality or religious belief—that all those considerations would have secured us the consolation among such bitterness of finding a reception by the contending parties of our intervention in favor of Rome. But alas this so reasonable hope of ours has been disappointed.

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MILITARY OBJECTIVE IN ROME—RAILWAY MARSHALING YARDS—This big new railway terminal in Rome, one of the main targets of Allied bombers who subjected Italy's capital city to its first aerial bombardment of the war.



VATICAN CITY—SPARED BY ALLIED BOMBERS—This air view shows the city of Rome, with the ancient walled Vatican City outlined and some of its famous buildings and historic monuments indicated by numbers. They are: (1) The Pope's Palace, which includes the famed Sistine and Pauline Chapels, with their priceless treasures of paintings and sculpture. (2) The Vatican museum of paintings. (3) Vatican Gardens, where popes walked during many years when they were confined to the Vatican State. (4) The Observatory, well known in the astronomical world. (5) Vatican radio station. (6) Governor's Palace. (7) St. Peter's, with its circular plaza adjoining it. (8) Railroad, with Vatican station just inside the wall separating the Vatican City from Rome proper.

all Catholics by its ancient associations and by the venerable tomb of our revered predecessor Pius IX, is now in very great part destroyed. As we contemplated the ruins of that famous temple the words of that prophet Jeremiah returned to our mind:

"Quomodo obscuratum est arsum, mutatus est color optimus, dispersi sunt lapides sanctuariorum." (How is the gold become dim, the finest color is changed, the stones of the sanctuary are scattered.)

The sad reality of experience once again proves that in spite of precautions that men wish to take it is almost impossible to avoid in this holy soil the destruction of the things of the highest values that adorn human and Christian thinking. For it is our fixed intention and our heart's dictate to safeguard and protect the judgment of posterity, the deposit which we have been commissioned to keep.

With this hope in our hearts we impart to you, Lord Cardinal, to our beloved clergy, and the people of Rome the apostolic benediction.

Given at St. Peter's, Rome, on 20th day of July in the year 1943, the fifth of our pontificate.

SPEDY HELP

We have striven to bring quick succor by all the means at our disposal to our people of the Roman diocese, so severely tried, whose piteous lot we have been able to behold with our own eyes in the midst of the ruins.

To them we say, show now as never before the intensity of the proof of that hope for which the Apostle of the Gentiles once wrote to your forefathers.

May Christian resignation make sorrow and privation acceptable to you, may disaster be-

MAJ. R. S. MALONE

sistant Director of Public Relations, Army, as that section of N.D.H.Q. was undergoing expansion, visiting centres by air between Halifax and Victoria in the course of this duty.

Later he attended the Canadian Junior War Staff course at Royal Military College and from there proceeded overseas to fill an appointment on the staff of a Canadian brigade.

Malone came to Ottawa in 1940 for special duty in the office of the Hon. J. L. Raiston, Minister of National Defence, and accompanied Mr. Raiston on the minister's first visit to Canadian troops overseas.

On his return Maj. Malone served in the Directorate of Staff duties. He was the officer who organized the extensive journey through Canadian factories and military centres late in 1940 of a score or more of top-flight American newspaper and magazine editors, taking them from Hamilton, Ont., to Halifax via Ottawa and Montreal.

In civilian life Maj. Malone was circulation manager of the

Would Increase Power for Radio; Step Up Newscasts

OTTAWA (CP)—The House of Commons radio committee, in a report tabled today in the Commons, recommended that the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation should safeguard channels allotted to Canada under the Havana agreement and, if necessary, consider increasing the power of all Canadian stations to the limit of the agreement.

The report, presented by the committee chairman, Dr. J. J. McCann, Lib. Renfrew, Ont., recalled that last year recommendation was made for increased power for the corporation's stations to take advantage of rights under the Havana agreement. This year evidence had been presented indicating there might be a danger of losing the full use of channels assigned to Canada.

The report also urged that control over private stations by the CBC be exercised "with fairness." The committee said it had no doubt that new regulations respecting control of private stations would be administered in that spirit.

(These regulations, announced July 3, prohibit except under special circumstances, the granting of a commercial radio licence to a person already holding a licence for another station.)

The committee said evidence it had heard placed news broadcasts first in importance among CBC programs.

The financial arrangement whereby use is made of the Canadian Press and the British United Press as news-gathering agencies is one of which your committee approves.

"While anything of a scandalous nature should be avoided in news broadcasting, we do believe that news broadcasts and commentaries could be more colorful and realistic. Particularly it should be brought to the listening public the great part that Canadian forces and the Canadian people in general are playing in the war."

"Let us always be conscious of our national identity."

Speaking of radio in general, the committee said it was "the newest instrument of modern warfare," serving not only as an instrument of entertainment and education, but as "the most vital morale builder at a nation's command."

Given Commission

VANCOUVER (CP)—Percy L. Lyford, Vancouver forest engineer and timber broker, today won a judgment in the B.C. Supreme Court against the Carrill Company of Canada Ltd., Victoria, for 5 per cent commission on the sale in 1941 of 40 timber licenses known as the Bonanza Lake tract.

Chief Justice Wendell Farris found that through Lyford's efforts the property in the Nimpkish Lake district of Vancouver Island was sold to Pacific Mills Ltd., entitling him to \$20,000 commission on the down payment of \$400,000. Further ruling stated that Lyford should receive 5 per cent on the future payments that should bring the total purchase price to between \$800,000 and \$1,000,000.

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Natives Welcome Reginan Forced Down in Sicily

The following dispatch was written by FO. Bob Francis, former staff writer for the Canadian Press who now is a public relations officer with the R.C.A.F.

By FO. BOB FRANCIS
A SICILIAN AIRFIELD (Delayed, CP)—PO. Gordon Wilson of Regina ran into an unexpected reaction when lack of gasoline forced him to land his airplane during a patrol flight over Augusta and Syracuse on Sicily's east coast.

Wilson came down in a stubble field several miles inland and said later fifteen or twenty people crowded around me when I climbed out of the plane, patted my back and showed me they were friendly. Some who spoke a little English said they had been in New York.

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One man guided him to a village where he got hold of the military police. The natives brought him wine, bread, eggs, milk and cheese.

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Allied Propagandists Beat Nazis to Punch

Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By DE WITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

It certainly gives one a grateful feeling of security to hear Vice-Admiral Frederick Horne, vice-chief of United States naval operations, say the navy is planning for a Pacific war "that will last at least until 1949," but it's equally good to note that he doesn't specifically state he believes the conflict necessarily will run that long.

Six more years might not mean much to a tortoise, but it's a long time to the average citizen who is looking forward to the day when he can take his car out of storage and drive into the countryside for a steak smothered with onions.

When James F. Byrne, director of war mobilization, was asked about the admiral's statement—he replied: "If anyone else is planning on that basis, I do not know that they are." T. V. Soong, China's astute foreign minister who is now in Washington, remarked that it's "anybody's guess" how long the fight with Japan will last—and that seems to be a fair assay of the situation.

ALL MUST WORK

Whatever the duration of the war, it will be plenty long and painful. Its length and bloodshed and privations will depend mainly on civilian efforts in producing sinews of victory.

Unfortunately, the amount of striking power the Allies could turn against Japan has been largely dependent on the demands of the European conflict. However, things are looking decidedly

brighter in the Pacific as industrial efforts begin to pyramid.

As witness to progress we have Wednesday's great Allied raid on Balrook Harbor, New Georgia, when 150 bombers dumped 133 tons of grief on the Japs. This was a companion piece to last Saturday's huge aerial attack by 192 aircraft on Kahiki, Japan's key base in the Solomons, when nine enemy ships, including a cruiser and three destroyers, were sunk.

The field of Allied aggressiveness covers the whole vast Pacific area. Warships again have blasted the Nipponese defenses on Kiska Island, up in the Aleutians, in preparation for invasion. The time must be near for the amphibious assault which will return Kiska to American hands. That will lessen the Japanese threat to Alaska and yield another important airbase within reach of enemy territory.

KURILE BASE HIT

Almost coincident with the Kiska assault, U.S. bombers made the first raid on Japan's northernmost island base—Paramushiro, on the tip of the Kurile chain. They apparently were operating from Anchorage, in the western Aleutians, demonstrating the fact that Japanese territory can be reached from American bases.

At the same time bombers from Australia blasted Celebes. These two raids, each of which represented a round trip of about 2,000 miles, are among the longest bombing flights on record. That's something for the Japanese to worry about.

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M.P.'s Urge Lifting Of Ban Against Jehovah Witnesses

OTTAWA (CP)—The House of Commons debated Wednesday a ban on the sect known as Jehovah's Witnesses, with opposition members urging the restriction be lifted.

Justice Minister St. Laurent said he had been informed the Witnesses were urging young men to claim exemption from military service on the ground they should not fight as it was contrary to Bible teachings.

"A declaration, at this time, which could be construed by them and by the public as a recognition of their legality by this Parliament in my opinion would be detrimental to the morale of this country," said the minister.

He pictured the result if such a raid had been made at recent Roman Catholic outdoor ceremonies here when prayers and service for victory brought many thousand people together in a stadium.

"How the welkin would ring with protest!" he exclaimed.

Mr. St. Laurent said that only that (Wednesday) morning Commissioner S. T. Wood of the R.C.M.P. had received a message from Mr. Justice J. F. L. Embury, chairman of the Saskatchewan Mobilization Board, stating the Witnesses were urging young men not to take part in the war.

Mr. Douglas said the minister has as yet given no good reason why the Witnesses should be declared illegal in Canada when they were not interfered with in Britain, the United States or Australia.

Clarence Gillis, C.C.F., Cape Breton Sound, N.S., said he had read that the wife of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Allied commander-in-chief in North Africa, was a member of the Witnesses' sect, and thus would be under the ban imposed in Canada.

Mr. St. Laurent dealt with a charge that while members of the Witnesses were holding a communion service in Montreal recently, R.C.M.P. officers raided the meeting and demanded that those present show national registration cards.

He said he had been informed nothing had been done by the police at the meeting which would not have been done at any other meeting in an attempt to see if those present had their registration cards.

NOT SUITABLE TIME

Rev. T. C. Douglas, C.C.F., Weyburn, Sask., asked if the minister thought a religious meeting at which people were joining in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was a suitable time and place to take such action.

Mr. St. Laurent said he did not think so, but the meeting was not being held in a building recognized as a place of assembly for religious meetings. He would think it improper for the police to go into recognized churches during a service and attempt to make such a check.

Mr. Douglas said the police could have waited until the service was finished.

Angus MacInnis, C.C.F., Vancouver East, said there was "continued persecution and persecution" of the Witnesses.

He said the continued ban against the Witnesses was a "standing disgrace against the justice department, the government and the people of Canada." All religious sects should have equal rights.

QUOTED BIBLE

Mr. St. Laurent then referred to a motion made last week by John Dietenbaker, Prog. Con., Lake Centre, Sask., to the arrest and continued incarceration of Mrs. Mullins.

Mr. Dietenbaker said all that had been done was to distribute printed excerpts from the Bible without the pamphlets showing the name of the printer. If the

Rome Bombing Story Told Immediately

WASHINGTON (AP) — The

United Nations beat the propaganda-minded Axis to the punch by telling the world about the Rome bombing eight minutes after the first explosives fell on the capital of Fascist Italy.

Details of how this was accomplished came out today, emphasizing how Allied generals have added the propaganda weapon to the plane, tank and shell, in this war conflict.

Recognizing the high importance of getting out first with the Allied story of the raid, minute arrangements were made which were off without a hitch.

Just as the first bomb left its rack, the plane flashed signal to Algiers. That was at 5:13 a.m. (Eastern Daylight Time) Monday.

Algiers relayed the information by shortwave to Washington.

There the news was broken to reporters who had been routed out of bed.

At 5:21 exactly, when the bomb's debris had scarcely settled, programs on American transmitters to France, north Africa and central Europe were interrupted in New York for the bulletin. Simultaneously the United Nations' station in Algiers was going full blast to Italy in the Italian language.

Shortly afterwards, 16 transmitters in this country were beamed on Italy.

It told what was coming and gave suggestions on background and news handling. A crew of translators went to work in a closed room on shortwave scripts.

The announcers, delivering their regular 5:15 to 5:30 a.m. news reports in French, German and Spanish, did not know what was coming until they were signalled to break their broadcasts and were handed the story.

Heaviest Air Blow Delivered Enemy In South Pacific

By MURLIN SPENCER

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS,

THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC

(AP) — United States bombers

shattered Japanese positions at

Bairok Harbor, above Munda, on

the north shore of New Georgia

Island Wednesday, in the heaviest

air attack ever made in the south-

west Pacific.

More than 150 bombers, operating under a strong fighter cover, pounded the island in a day-long series of raids.

One hundred and thirty-three tons of bombs were dropped and the area was extensively strafed," the daily report from Allied headquarters said.

The communiqué said the raid was made "in support of our ground forces." This might indicate U.S. troops were advancing from Enogai Inlet, two miles northeast, where last week they destroyed the entire Japanese garrison.

Bairok is the supply base for

Munda, key Japanese defense point in the central Solomons.

(From Admiral William F. Halsey's South Pacific headquarters came an official statement that U.S. troops had advanced to within a few thousand yards of the airfield and that its capture "now is in reach.")

Over Madang, New Guinea, twin-engined fighters won a

smashing victory against a much greater Japanese force. The battle took place during an intensive, low-altitude attack by Allied bombers.

"Enemy planes in force were engaged by our fighter escort," the communiqué said. "They were defeated and dispersed, 19 being shot down and destroyed and 11 probably were destroyed. Two Allied planes were lost, but one pilot is safe."

Sharp fighting continued among advanced patrols in the Komiatum district, seven miles inland from Salamaua; Japanese forces launched nine counter-attacks against Mount Tambu, which Australian jungle fighters captured several days ago. The home-building program in the corresponding period of 1942 was 330 dwellings.

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Compulsory Voting

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE SAANICH COUNCIL on the passage of its resolution supporting compulsory voting at civic elections! The submission of its view in official form to the annual convention of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities should evoke a discussion dictated by the increasing public lethargy toward the conduct of its own business. There is nothing new or novel in the proposal. The law of the land in Australia requires all eligible persons to vote or submit to a fine of \$2.50 unless good and sufficient reason for abstaining can be produced. It is a policy which seems to have worked well in the southern Dominion.

No doubt the councillors of Saanich expect opposition to such an innovation here. But they need not be dismayed; for unless the communities of Canada are served by forward-looking local governments in the coming days, particularly during the transition period from war to peace, the national reconstruction and rehabilitation program will fall short of the objective toward which the Canadian people are directing their attention. This is no reflection on those who year after year offer themselves for public service—who, by the same token, expose themselves to criticism not infrequently bordering on abuse. But it is neither fair to them nor to the community over whose affairs they preside that no incentive is provided to induce new blood to share the responsibility of civic office. Compulsory voting, at least, would automatically arouse a practical interest among that very considerable element of the population which in the past has contented itself with the comfortable philosophy of "leave it to George."

There is a much deeper meaning in the exercise of the franchise—voluntarily or compulsorily—than its relationship to those chosen for office from year to year. Saanich and the other three municipalities which comprise the Greater Victoria area have sent men to the war to fight in defence of man's right to say how and by whom he shall be governed. Millions already have died for this basic cause. How were those sacrifices regarded, for example, in that British Columbia municipality where only 7 per cent of the voters exercised their franchise in a recent school board by-election? In other words, it is only when there is danger of losing the vote that the howl goes up to high heaven, only then is it appropriately realized how precious is the heritage which our forefathers shed their blood to obtain and preserve.

If the Saanich councillors have done nothing more for the moment than draw attention to our priceless possession, they may rest assured that the intent of their resolution will be regarded by all who are concerned with good local government as a timely subject for intelligent debate, and not a proposal to be received and filed. The suggestion for compulsory voting is not a political abstraction; it would seem to be a necessary procedure to bring us to a fuller understanding of one of the reasons why this war is being fought.

In Its Element

EVIDENTLY THE SHORT-LIVED CONTROVERSY about the news of Canadians in Sicily was sufficient excuse for the Vancouver Daily Province to throw a few pointed bars at Mr. Mackenzie King. It sees the Canadian Prime Minister revealed in a "small and puerile" and "rather ludicrous role" in view of Mr. Churchill's statement to the House of Commons that a "very agreeable exchange of telegrams" has proved that "no one is to blame" for the "misunderstanding" which "can now be regarded as closed."

But we venture to suggest that few will agree with our contemporary's interpretation of the incident—to which it devotes three parts of a column of editorial comment—while the record shows that the Canadian Parliament concurred in the Prime Minister's action in the matter. This is the first engagement of its kind in which troops from this country have been employed; and, in the light of events which have transpired, there seems no very convincing reason why mention of their part could not have been made in the initial communiqué.

However, says the Province, "the British government and the British military authorities are engaged in fighting a war—not in conducting a publicity campaign—and in fighting a war military considerations come first." No doubt the Prime Minister and the other members of the Canadian Parliament will be suitably impressed by that ponderous—if kindergarten—exposition of the delicate implications of modern war. Surely the mainland newspaper could have found some better excuse for giving the colonial mind an airing without finding fault with a desire to advise, as early as possible, Canadian parents that their menfolk at last had got into the big fray. Why not blame Mr. King for the weather, Pearl Harbor, or the way Hitler drapes his hair over his sinister brow?

If he speaks of flotsam and jetsam, he is literate. If he knows what they mean, he is educated.

Should Impress Turkey

THREE MEDIUM-SIZED FREIGHTERS

from a north American Atlantic port, each loaded for the most part with military and civilian supplies under lease-lend arrangements, have arrived at the southern Turkish seaboard town of Izmir—the first ships to reach that country directly through the Mediterranean since the north African invasion by Anglo-American troops last November. This delayed but none the less important announcement reports that all three of them sailed together through the Sicilian channel on the last day of the bombardment of Pantelleria—close enough to give the crews a good view of the bursts on the little island, now in Allied hands.

The through passage of the Mediterranean by those ships from north America may have little or no bearing on Turkey's diplomatic relations with the Axis; the delivery of goods they carried may be merely in conformity with simple contractual obligations. But in this alone is another demonstration that the Allied governments are able to live up to promises solemnly made. Most of the agreements into which Berlin has entered with Ankara since the beginning of the war have proved Germany's inability or unwillingness to abide by their provisions. It always appeared to us as fantastic, of course, to suppose that the Reich would exchange military supplies even for such a sorely-needed commodity as Turkish chrome—assuming that Turkey has really been in the mood to extend this accommodation after satisfying large Anglo-American orders.

As we have already pointed out in these columns, the Allied governments are hoping to persuade Turkey to permit them to ship through Turkish territory, food, medical supplies, and non-military lease-lend goods to the Soviet Union. Such a concession would render valuable assistance to the anti-Axis cause without straining to any great extent Ankara's meticulously-preserved neutral status toward the war. The three ships which have arrived at Izmir, however, confirm the security of the Mediterranean route; and implemented promises are something the Turks understand. They are intensely interested, too, in the freedom of the middle sea.

Change The Ruling

VICTORIA'S CHAMBER OF COMMERCE has quite properly endorsed the City Council's resolution asking the Board of Transport Commissioners to reconsider its ruling that no T.C.A. planes may carry passengers between this city and Vancouver. Under the present arrangement the big machines often fly with only one or two passengers—sometimes none—across the gulf.

There have been cases lately, incidentally, when air force personnel unable to obtain accommodation on the night boat could have saved valuable time, to say nothing of expense, if only passage on the T.C.A. had been available.

Passengers wishing to take the night plane to Vancouver, however, can buy a ticket to Lethbridge or any point farther east and get an immediate refund for that part of the ticket not used. This does not transgress the ruling of the Board of Transport Commissioners. It merely serves to emphasize a fantastic situation which it is hoped the pleas of the Victoria City Council and the Chamber of Commerce will succeed in correcting without delay—not only in the public interest generally but in order that T.C.A. economy of operation may be served.

Striking Progress Report

MOSCOW HAS HAD TIME TO RECAPTURE the progress of the Battle of the Kursk Salient. It has officially announced that since July 5—when the Germans attacked on a 165-mile front with the biggest array of men and armor in the history of war—the Nazi Wehrmacht has lost: Tanks, 3,593; planes, 2,342; killed, 70,000. While the Russians have not published the toll in men and material exacted of them, and it must have been heavy, the point about the enemy's expenditure is that he will have great difficulty in replenishing any large part of it.

In Russia's case, on the other hand, her war plants have not suffered, and her physical reservoir is far, very far, from empty. She has Allies whose resources in men and materials are growing from day to day.

Nothing in the foregoing is to suggest that Germany and her satellites are anywhere near the end of their tether. Some of the greatest battles are still to come. But what must be worrying Adolf Hitler is the fact that as Allied victories multiply, in Europe and in Asia, those 10,000,000 foreigners he has impressed into his war plants and onto his farmlands will require more and more Nazis to see that they do not lose their "enthusiasm." The Fuehrer's instruction of Heinrich Himmler to call for volunteers to "watch" these imported workers suggests the Hitlerian mind is occupied with another form of intuition.

Notes
Even the poor of our time can have slaves or servants, merely by connecting with a power line.

Another nice thing about war bonds. They'll keep many people from saying: "Mister could you spare a dime?"

Good manners were invented in hard times. When everybody feels independent, scarcely anybody is polite.

Picture captions are often necessary. We can't tell whether German readers look defiant or dejected until we read the caption words."

If he speaks of flotsam and jetsam, he is literate. If he knows what they mean, he is educated.

Bruce Hutchison

TYCOONERY

THE LEADING business brains which make up the tycoons of Vancouver recently went on a pilgrimage to Seattle, in the same humor of spiritual exaltation which takes the faithful Mohomedan to Mecca.

In Seattle the tycoons of both nations, Canadian and American, dreamed great dreams of a developing Pacific Coast region. They prepared to integrate the economies of Oregon, Washington, British Columbia and Alaska, to remove the present artificial trade barriers between these regions and to expand them industrially as nature and geography intended. It was a fine program and the pilgrims came home afire with their dream.

The next thing the public heard about integration and the removal of trade barriers was a resolution from the Vancouver Board of Trade, the cathedral of tycoony. The Vancouver Board of Trade solemnly resolved that on no account must any iron ore ever be exported from British Columbia to the United States but must be kept here at all costs.

It is thus clear that integration is a beautiful phrase no deeper than the skin. Everyone is for integration, for sanity in commerce, for a removal of trade barriers, for a better world, so long as it doesn't touch them. The tycoons of Vancouver are all for integration and roll the phrase out impressively over a banquet board; but they don't want integration if, by any chance, it should mean integration.

That is the trouble with these words. They do have a meaning. That is the trouble with the plans of the Atlantic Charter and the Four Freedoms. They will have certain effects if they are put into practice.

MYTH WORD

INTEGRATION, WHICH IS SO LOUDLY proclaimed and advocated in the Tycoonville of British Columbia and Washington, is, for most people, a myth word. America has lived on myth words for a long time now without ever suspecting it. We have been buried so deep in myths, in fact, that we are hardly able to observe the actual shape of the world about us any more.

Every great movement must have its myths to live by. Men insist on them. Men would much rather live on myths than on facts because the myths are always fashioned to suit their tastes, hopes and prejudices, whereas facts seldom suit anyone. Thus the current economic system of America is called Capitalism, which is pure myth; for no capitalist of the classical school, no capitalist of the real days of Capitalism, could possibly recognize the present structure.

We have with this major myth the sub-myth of free competition and initiative untrammeled by the state, and this myth is constantly proclaimed by everyone who does not believe in another myth called Socialism; whereas it is perfectly obvious to anyone who can read even simple words that business in America has never been able to make a living for the people without vast aid from the state by way of various subsidies.

The whole west, for example, was opened up by the state subsidy in the form of free land grants. The modern structure of Canada was built with railway financed by the public treasury. The whole automobile industry on both sides of the line was made possible by gigantic state subsidies in the form of good roads. The whole aviation industry is being built with the aid of public landing fields, weather services and other subsidies.

If the same fashion the great theory, myth of an equalitarian Socialism, a classless state, and perfect economic justice in Russia is found on examination to be just as mythical as the pure Capitalism of America.

SINCERE PEOPLE

IT DOES NO harm generally to have these pleasant legends and fables, for they keep people happy. They believe what they want to believe, and believe it most sincerely. No one, for example, is more sincere than the tycoon who demands the removal of trade barriers in one breath and insists that there shall be no export of our iron ore in the next.

It is only in revolutionary times like these that myths become dangerous, for they clog up our thinking. They prevent us taking obvious steps to cure our troubles. They blind us so much to the true condition of our system, its operations, its failures and its needs, that we refuse to do perfectly natural things because they would violate not good sense but only good myths.

We have been refusing in America to do obvious things for the last 15 years because we thought that such things would violate the pure theory of Capitalism, which was only a fiction; and in refusing to do them we almost destroyed what was left of Capitalism entirely. We may yet destroy it by continuing to think in myths; by just such mythological thinking as is now to be observed in Vancouver, where the tycoons still seem to think not in facts but in phrases.

NOT IN HIS VOCABULARY

General Sir Harold Alexander, who commanded the British forces in the African campaign, was the last man out of Dunkirk and led the retreat out of Burma. When after his outnumbered troops had stopped the Japs outside of India, he was asked about the Burma campaign, "I found a retreat," Alexander shrugged, "and took it to oblivion." . . . In Dunkirk he was assigned the job of effecting the British evacuation. During this historic battle, one of his officers reported: "Sir, our position is catastrophic." Alexander replied: "I don't understand long words."

'Happiest Era Dawning for Sicily, Empire's Heart'—Duce's 1937 Vow

Mussolini in action in his balcony speech days, which are now gone forever. So is his balcony empire.

"Sicily is now the geographical centre of Italy's empire. From now on the energy of the state will be directed toward you. You are at the dawn of the happiest era which your island has had in 4,000 years of her history."

On Aug. 20, 1937, Benito Mussolini spoke these words to 100,000 dark-skinned Sicilians at Palermo. But while Il Duce was promising Sicily better living standards, ostensibly because he wanted "to see them glad and happy," as one sympathetic correspondent put it, Italy's military experts had other aims.

They realized, as reports from Rome showed in 1937, that Sicily could make or break Italy and that it must be made impregnable to attack. Mussolini, himself, pointed out, following Sicilian military manoeuvres in that year, that although a landing of foreign troops in Sicily was not "probable," it should not be considered impossible.

Along Sicily's southern coast are a number of beaches and small harbors where infantry and tanks could land. Here the land slopes gently up to the mountains and deep water is

A MARK FOR PARACHUTISTS

The terrain of the coastline

"to rock on a desert island." Advertisers on the radio adapted it so that a man's living room sometimes sounds as though a train-car had dropped in. And the Film Board now lets us have it on everything from Victory Loan appeals to Canada Carries On.

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Having news read over the radio or pictures explained in a theatre by a voice like a pronouncement from Hell seems not only silly but nauseating. Besides, it is surely an insult to the intelligence—like a letter with every line underlined in red ink.

The Film Board's pictures are usually good enough to stand almost without commentary, but with commentary—and with what I might loosely call Shostakovich blarney and trumpeting from a frightened orchestra—well, this sentence has got out of hand.

Our National Film Board, on the other hand, is a disciple of the blast of doom manner. The barker off the exhibition midway started it with his "Come and see the lady with three legs—she was found jumping from rock

WAR—25 YEARS AGO TODAY

July 22, 1918—Allied troops crossed the Marne at Châlons and Passy and Germans continued to retreat north of Château-Thierry; powerful German counterattacks between the Ourcq and Marne repulsed. French successful at Montdidier, on western front.

The Allies must remain united for some time and the two great English-speaking powers must cooperate closely with Russia. There is only one Russia, the Russia of the Soviets. To split Russia apart is a waste of time.—Jan Masaryk, foreign minister, Czech government in exile.

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Recorder

Two weeks ago, a farmer, who is operating three farms in order to keep up production, informed us that his only son was drafted into the army. He asked that the boy be granted leave of absence to assist in the spring work—this was refused. Till two weeks ago this man worked 19 hours a day, and all the assistance he had on the farm was his wife and daughter. He got some relief that week, but at what a price—\$75 per month—he got a conscientious objector, who had been kept by the government—which in the final analysis is the taxpayer. This produced

Now this farmer's son is drawing down \$1.10 a day, with clothes and board, and to replace him the farmer has to pay almost three dollars per day, plus board. This looks to be hardly a square deal.

SASKATCHEWAN CUTS DEBT
From Manitoba Free Press

Saskatchewan has reduced its debt by \$8,811,000 in the last 18 months, according to a statement by Premier W. J. Patterson. The latest reduction is in connection with a maturing bond issue of \$3,155,000, which has been met with \$2,000,000 in cash and a new serial debenture issue, 1944 to 1949, of \$1,200,000 bearing an average interest rate of 3.83 per cent. This is the lowest rate ever paid on Saskatchewan debentures.

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Selective Service Transfers 63 Men

A total of 224 men in the Victoria area have reported to National Selective Service to date under the three recent compulsory employment orders and of that number 63 have already been placed in essential industry, C. A. Mudge, manager of the local office, stated today.

"Forty-five more have been issued with temporary permits allowing them to remain in their present employment for certain specified times. Five of the men are married and earning more money than the jobs waiting for them in essential industry and consequently have not been transferred as yet," Mr. Mudge said.

"According to the order we must offer a man a wage in the essential job similar to that which he is earning on his present job. Permits, however, can be revoked at any time by Selective Service," he said.

A total of 97 "indefinite" permits with no specified time limit on them were issued. Some were issued for physical reasons and 34 of the 97 were given to persons engaged in the retail food industry and other services essential for the welfare of the community.

Returned soldiers of this and the last war do not come under the order and any man opposing transfer from his present job to one in essential industry has the right of appeal before a court of referees, Mr. Mudge explained, adding, "We have had no difficulty at all in the transfer of the men to essential war work up to the present time."

Expired Meat Coupons Should Be Destroyed

To prevent any possible black market in rationed meat the local office of Wartime Prices and Trade Board, today urged ration book holders to destroy any expired meat coupons or have meat dealers destroy the coupons in their presence.

"Though meat coupons have expired for a customer, say June 30, these coupons are still valid to the meat dealer until July 14," a ration official stated.

"The retailer could build up a reserve supply should he take these coupons which have expired in so far as the customer is concerned."

He declared that he had reason to believe that "such traffic might have been carried on," and declared that it was not in the spirit of rationing.

During the summer he felt it was possible that people going away for holidays and visits might not use their entire meat ration.

'Teen-Age Dance At Junior High'

Teen-agers of Victoria, with a committee of their own to arrange social functions under the direction of the city's supervised playground group, will move next week to Central Junior High School for their Tuesday evening dance.

The committee was appointed following the regular and increasingly popular party at North Ward Tuesday night. Members of it include Shirley Griffin, Dilys Peterson, Betty Garnett, Bill Petch, Ray Bond and Bramble Bowles, with co-leaders Rita Perry, Alma Malcolm and May Johnson assisting in an advisory capacity.

As a result of experience at previous functions, the group plans next week to divide the dancing period into two sections, holding a home waltz for early teen-agers up to 15, at 9, and specializing for older youths and girls after that hour.

L-Cpl. Keyworth Safe in Hongkong

Word received by his relatives here says that L-Cpl. C. Melbourne Keyworth, R.C.A.S., who was captured by the Japanese at Hongkong was in good health last January in a Japanese prison camp.

His uncle and aunt, Staff-Sgt. and Mrs. E. S. Blair, 2101 Sutherland, say the news reached them through L-Cpl. Keyworth's sister, Miss Helen Keyworth, R.N., of Vancouver, who received it officially from the Department of National Defence.

The Ottawa department said the information purportedly came in a letter from Sgt. Lyle L. Ellis, also of Victoria. Born in Sidney, Keyworth was employed as a steward at the Royal Victoria Golf Club before his enlistment.

The Missouri River common fish known as the carp sucker, picked by a new process developed by the State Conservation Commission, is reported to be firm and fine-grained and good eating.

Electric utility power plants used over 6,000,000 tons of coal and 1,100,000 barrels of fuel oil in March.

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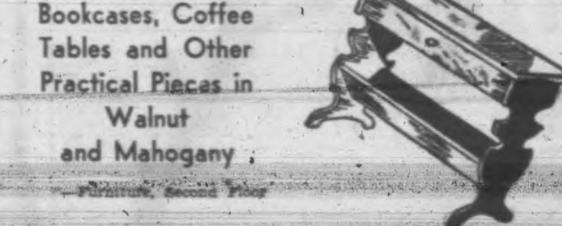
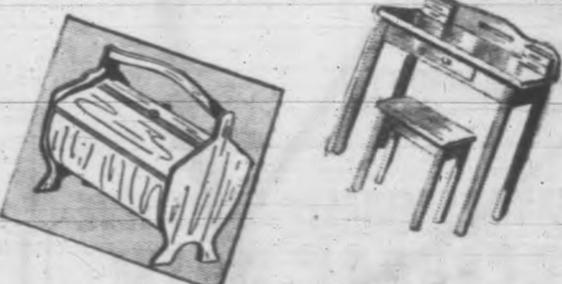
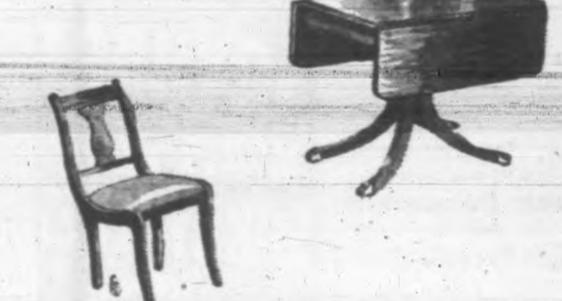
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Prizewinners at Sidney Fete

Prizewinning babies and their proud mothers photographed by the Times cameraman at the baby show, held in connection with the garden party sponsored by members of the R.A.F. Officers' Wives Club, Sidney, Wednesday afternoon, in aid of the British War Relief Fund. Left to right: Mrs. H. Simpkin, wife of an R.A.F. man, and their son, Roger, who won first prize in the 12 to 18-months class; Mrs. Jack Skinner and six-months-old son, Allison, first in his group, and Mrs. E. E. Both and baby daughter, Roberta, aged 10 months, first in six months to one-year group. Other prizewinners were:

Second, Wendy Tickle and James Fraser; third, Gay Walmsley.

More than \$600 was raised for the British War Relief fund as a result of the enjoyable garden party held at the home of Mrs. F. J. Baker, Sidney. Mrs. J. W. Spencer formally opened the affair, which was convened by Mrs. L. P. Gibson, wife of Wing Cmdr. Gibson, R.A.F., assisted by members of the R.A.F. Officers' Wives' Club.

The various stalls attracted a lot of amusement, and P.O. Donald Ford, D.F.C., was kept busy

sold by Mrs. George Coveney, Mrs. W. Brown, Mrs. H. E. Dunne, Mrs. George Spiers, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Donald Ford, Mrs. Acton, Mrs. Hilton, Mrs. Edward England, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Donald Robins, Mrs. Richard Hollis, Mrs. John Allen, Mrs. Edward Shaw, Mrs. Tickle, Mrs. Raoul, Mrs. Dobson.

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Weddings

LORIMER-ZUUR

To reside in Victoria temporarily, after a honeymoon up-island, are Lieut. Malcolm Keith Lorimer and his bride, the former Edith Elaine Zuur, whose marriage took place Saturday evening at 8, in St. Andrew's Wesley Chapel, Vancouver. Rev. Dr. Oswald W. S. McCall officiated. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Maarten Zuur of Glenelg, West Vancouver, and the groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. L. Limer, 1497 Myrtle Street, Victoria.

The bride, who is a member of the C.W.A.C., was given in marriage by her father, and was wearing a tailored suit of turquoise blue, with brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias and sweetheart roses. The groom recently returned from three years' overseas duty, since when he has received his commission at Gordon Head.

Following the ceremony, a wedding supper was held at the Hotel Vancouver, and the young couple leaving later for the island.

WILLMORE-SUTHERLAND

The marriage took place at Tolmie United Church, Vancouver, Tuesday evening, of Winnifred, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sutherland, 2743 West 29th Avenue, Vancouver, and Mr. Thomas Willmore, R.C.N.V.R., Brandon, Sask., now stationed at Royal Roads.

The bride wore a tailored suit of rose wool, while her sister, Miss Dorothy Sutherland, as bridesmaid, was frocked in yellow jersey, and Mrs. Dorothy Schneider, matron of honor, wore a mauve wool suit. The groom was supported by Mr. Douglas Sutherland, R.C.N.V.R.

A reception was held at Point Grey Golf and Country Club, which had been beautifully decorated for the occasion. Miss Lorene Kerr was the vocal soloist, and Mr. Alex Sutherland proposed the toast.

R.C.N. Band Plays At Navy League Chapter Party

On the shady lawns of "Molton Combe," Newport Avenue, home of Mrs. Curtis Sampson, provincial vice-president, I.O.D.E., and with a background of music provided by the popular R.C.N. Band, members of Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., were hostesses Wednesday afternoon at a successful garden party. Over \$250 was realized for the chapter's war work.

The fete was formally opened by Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, municipal regent, and she was presented with a corsage bouquet of cream rosebuds by Mrs. J. L. Ford, regent of the Navy League Chapter.

Tea was served from individual tables on the lawn, centred with tiny vases of cream and red roses. Bridge was played in the house, and the various stalls, decorated in red, white and blue, were well patronized. A public address system, loaned by the R.C.N., added to the success of the afternoon.

Mrs. E. H. Hanbury was general convener, with bingo convened by Mrs. W. A. Kent; blind date stall, Mrs. R. Shanks; novelty stall, Mrs. R. Renfrew; grocery basket, Mrs. R. J. Dallizell; cookbooks, Mrs. C. W. Plum; apron stall, Mrs. D. W. Carter; tombola, Mrs. J. Birchell; bank, Mrs. Llewelyn Jones; fender stool contest, Mrs. R. Bunch; Mrs. R. H. Bolt; Mrs. H. W. Biggin; and Mrs. Scase were in charge of tea arrangements, and Mrs. A. D. Whittier was at receipt of custom.

Also assisting with the party were four little girls: Dorothy and Daphne Rutledge, Anne Hanbury and Rosemarie Ellis.

Dorothy

Dix

Dear Dorothy Dix: I have just started work with an organization where all the employees and even the officers call each other by their first names. This goes even for the president. But I can't bring myself to call my superior, who is 30 years older than myself, by his first name, nor can I call any of the others by their first names during business hours.

Is this not a situation where familiarity breeds contempt? And how can discipline be expected when there is such familiarity?

I.K.

Answer: Calling each other by their first names is certainly not office etiquette in big firms. In fact, I never heard of its being done. Certainly it must lower the morale of the establishment.



CANADIAN NURSES IN SICILIAN CAMPAIGN—Five of the eight nursing sisters shown in this group are among the Canadian girls reported in the Sicilian campaign with Canadian troops who took part in the landings. They will probably be stationed in north Africa. The picture was taken at a reinforcement centre in England. Left to right are: Lieutenant Helen Cannon of Toronto, Margaret Doddridge of Quebec City, Margaret Hunt of Toronto, and Henriette Matte, Atala Coulombe, Gabrielle Rossignol and Eva Cayer, all of Quebec City. Lieutenant Doddridge, Matte, Coulombe, Rossignol and Cayer are the nursing sisters reported in the Mediterranean area.

American hens laid over 6,500,000 eggs in May, 1943, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, an increase of 13 per cent in egg production over the preceding May.

The army "duck" is partner of the "jeep," it is an amphibian truck that can operate on land or water, some 30 feet in length and 8 in width with a capacity of approximately 35 men.

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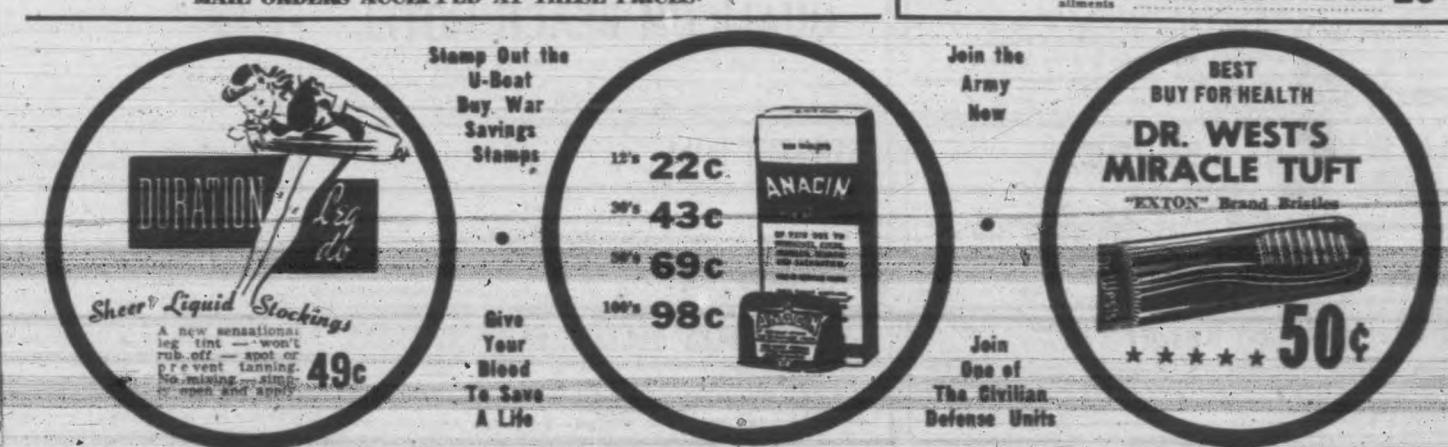


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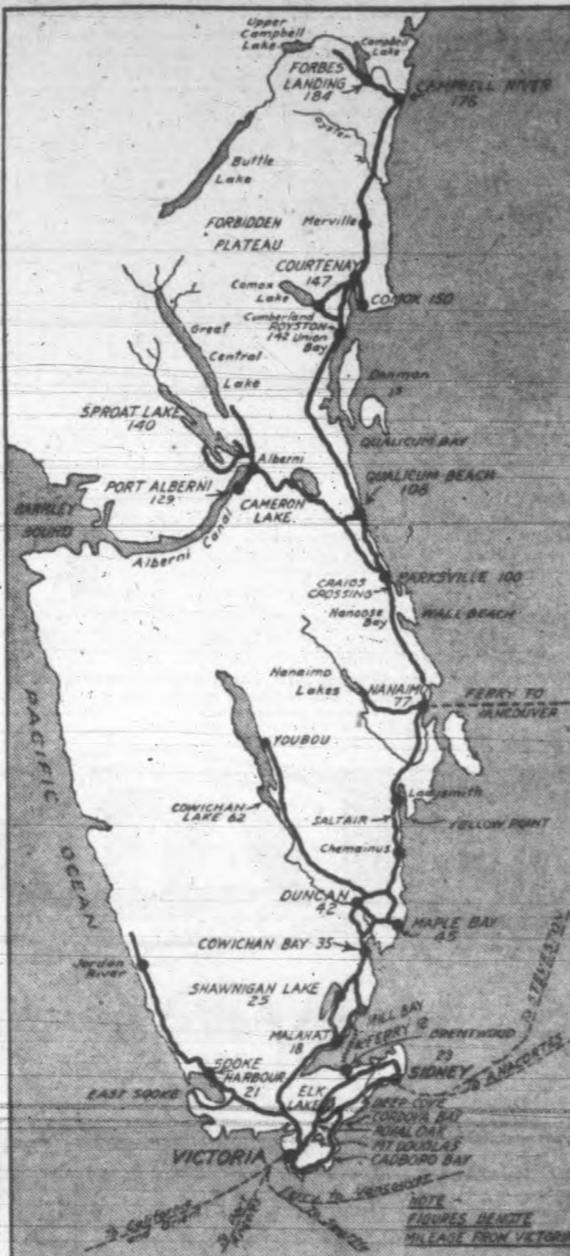
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Forest Reforms Must Come, Protection Must Increase

It is obvious B.C. forest lands have not been properly managed, otherwise there would not be 20,000,000 acres of it lying idle, Geo. Melrose, assistant chief forester today told the Vancouver Junior Board of Trade.

Despite some changes for the better recently, Mr. Melrose said "we still allow thousands of acres of good timber and second growth to burn up each year, and we still have from 25,000 to 30,000 acres a year added to our logged and non-producing areas on the coast—our best growing sites. We have not yet realized that in order to maintain this great producer of wealth, we must be prepared to spend an adequate part of the return. We cannot provide dividends until we have provided upkeep and operating costs, unless we dip into capital. That is what we have been doing to the danger point."

The first thing that must be done, Mr. Melrose said, is to provide adequate protection from fire, "for fire has been the prime cause of denudation and subsequent failure to re-establish a growing stand—this will mean the spending of sums of money considerably greater than we are able to maintain."

"You must also see to it that the forest crops are fully utilized," Mr. Melrose said. "Unless this is done to derive the greatest amount of value or wealth from them, we shall be wasting what we have; we shall be living on a lower standard than we are able to maintain."

George Wilkinson, delegate of the Retail Clerks, was elected secretary of the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council at its meeting Wednesday evening.

He succeeds Ernest Belton who retired from the post to take a position with the National Film Board. Mr. Wilkinson is also secretary of the Vancouver Island Joint Labor Conference and executive adviser to several locals here.

Work of the film board, to which Mr. Belton has gone, was outlined at the meeting with an explanation of the effort to keep labor pictorially informed of trade union matters throughout the Dominion.

Sources of labor discontent were sketched by the International Association of Machinists in a brief which is being presented to the National War Labor Board committee on industrial relations.

Local nominees to act on the Western War Labor were endorsed by the builders and trades council of Vancouver, according to information presented at the meeting. With the endorsement of the board, the announcement was made jointly in Ottawa and Washington. It said that on the basis of cost figures the board "is of the opinion that the present proposed increase is inadequate and that further discussions with the American authorities will need to be held."

The statement quoted Donald Gordon, chairman of the board, as saying:

"The whole field of pulp and paper production by Canada now is under-active consideration by the board."

"While the board regrets the necessity of increasing publishers' costs at the present time, it feels that its first concern must be to provide production sufficient to assure that essential supplies will be available."

"Every effort is being made to press forward the present examination of the whole industry as quickly as possible."

The current newsprint price is \$4 a ton, and the price after Sept. 1 will thus be \$5.

In a joint statement last Feb. 28, the Office of Price Administration at Washington and the Prices Board announced an increase of \$4 a ton for newsprint.

It was stated by Mr. Gordon the February boost was too small to cover increased costs so as to allow the Canadian newsprint industry to continue production at present levels. It was stated, too, that negotiations between the two price control authorities were continuing.

Complaint was made over the system of bringing carpenters to the coast on a six-months' guarantee on the grounds sufficient men are available in Victoria to handle all emergencies.

The council renewed its objection to excessive taxation on overtime pay, claiming existing levies were largely responsible for absenteeism.

Maintaining its stand for payment of wages, the council deplored the City Council's action in delaying action on the question.

CHECK SOLDIER CASE

Following a report to the effect a soldier had been discharged from the army with arthritis which, the medical board said, had occurred during service, but

At Wednesday night's meeting, Reeve Alex Lockley informed councillors that Wartime Housing had agreed to install the services, cost of which was estimated roughly at \$8,300.

G. H. Sedger, municipal solicitor, approved the new agreement. Mr. Lockley told council and also stated that Wartime Housing had promised to erect better houses than those built previously in Esquimalt. Plans for the 100 houses call for a large living room, two bedrooms, with kitchen and bathroom on one plumbing unit, woodshed and utility room for each home.

Councillor J. P. A. Christensen moved notice of a by-law to be introduced at the next regular council meeting authorizing the drafting of a final agreement between Esquimalt and the government building firm.

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PAN-DRYED ROLLED OATS, ROBIN HOOD: in the War Economy packet; 5-lb. bag, 23c

PREPARED MUSTARD, HEINZ: pep up cold meats and sandwiches; 6-oz. jar, 9c

"JOLLY GOOD" SAUCE, DALTON'S: deliciously combined spices and fruits; 6-oz. bottle, 13c

FLUID BEEF, JOHNSTON'S: a base for stews and gravies; 16-oz. bottle, 1.05

ROBIN HOOD ALL-PURPOSE FLOUR, 24-lb. sack, 90c

GLASS CLEAN

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

SOFTBALL officials are in for a big evening of chin-wagging when they sit down to consider the R.C.A.F. protest on Tuesday night's game between the Flyers and Army. The actual protest will be solely a matter of ground rules and just how the base umpire defined them. In baseball an overthrow at first or third usually means one base, unless the ball remains in fair territory. But the softballers may have their own ground rules to suit the occasion.

However, there will be a lot of discussion on the action of the Flyers in pulling their team off the field. The airmen definitely refused to resume play when ordered by the umpire-in-chief, according to a statement we received from the official today. If such was the case he was left with no alternative than to forfeit the game to the Army. The umpires must keep control of the game and if a team refuses to return to the field, as ordered, the umps cannot hold up play indefinitely.

Anyway the protest meeting promises to be an interesting session, especially if team representatives are allowed to sit in. We can just imagine Sgt. Lou Labovitch of the R.C.A.F. holding forth in support of his club's protest. Then again, it is quite possible the umpires' report on the whole affair will include some of the "choice" words that were hurled his way during the

a Class AA pro ball club.

Crowd Top V.M.D.

Only half a game separated the Navy from the league-leading Victoria Machinery Depot in the senior ball league, following the 9 to 2 victory of the bluejackets over the Eagles Wednesday night.

V.M.D. return to action Friday night against the third place Army and must win to remain in undisputed possession of the lead. Should the shipyards win they will be a game in front and, like the Navy, will have four games remaining until the close of the schedule.

For six innings Wednesday night it was a good ball game. Eagles moved into a 1 to 0 margin in the first inning and made it 2 to 0 in the top half of the third with pitcher Red McDonald batting in both counters. Navy got one run back in the last of the third and finally moved into the lead with a pair of counters in the fifth. Bluejackets added another two in the seventh, and sewed up the game with four more in the eighth when the Eagles started to boot the ball around.

Harley Berringer handled the pitching for the Navy, giving up five hits, while he struck out nine. Berringer had his usual control trouble, giving up seven walks. McDonald lasted seven innings for the Eagles, during which time he was charged with eight hits, five runs and struck out three. Maurice Diamond, who replaced him, gave up three hits and four runs.

Walker, Navy right fielder, had the best night at the plate with three for four.

Bob Weigall, peppy first baseman of the Navy, left the game in the fourth inning when his remarks failed to meet with the approval of umpire Steve Findlay. McDonald and Cudie, a pair of newcomers to the Navy lineup, handled the first basing job, the last-named going into the lineup in the last of the eighth as a pinch-hitter.

Short score: R. H. E.
Eagles 2 5 4
Navy 9 10 0
Batteries—McDonald, Diamond and Harper; Berringer and Effert.

Orville White In Comeback to Win Medal at Chicago

CHICAGO (AP)—Under doctor's orders to play only 18 holes of golf a day, 35-year-old Orville White of Winston-Salem, N.C., fashioned a 37-33-70 Wednesday to win the \$150 medalist prize for pro qualifying for the Tam O'Shanter \$10,000 open.

White had to drop from the golf picture for seven months in 1933 because of a heart ailment.

He followed the gold rush to Tam O'Shanter "because there was only 18 holes of play a day—and that's all the doc will let me go."

White snatched medalist hon-

ors from his North Carolina buddy, 25-year-old Johnny Palmer of Badin, who had managed a 36-35-71 compared with the Tam's par of 36-36, with five one-putt greens.

Johnny Rogers, veteran pro at Tam, was second with a 36-35-73.

SPAR Elizabeth Hicks of Long Beach, Calif., became medalist in the women's qualifying round with a 41-37-79, three over women's par. She was followed by Patty Berg of Minneapolis with 38-42-80, and Mrs. Opal S. Hill of Kansas City, Mo., and Georgia Tainter of Fargo, N.D., with a pair of 81s.

First game—

Sacramento 1 8 2

Los Angeles 18 21 0

Batteries—MacFaden, Pillette

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Gehman and Holm, Sarni (6).

Second game—

Sacramento 0 3 3

Los Angeles 7 9 1

Batteries—Fitzke and Melone;

Raffensberger and Fernandes.

San Diego 2 9 1

Batteries—Schanz and Detore;

Harrell and Ogorowski.

Third game—

Sacramento 1 8 2

Los Angeles 18 21 0

Batteries—MacFaden, Pillette

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Gehman and Holm, Sarni (6).

Fourth game—

Sacramento 0 3 3

Los Angeles 7 9 1

Batteries—Fitzke and Melone;

Raffensberger and Fernandes.

San Diego 2 9 1

Batteries—Schanz and Detore;

Harrell and Ogorowski.

Fifth game—

Sacramento 1 8 2

Los Angeles 18 21 0

Batteries—MacFaden, Pillette

(3), Malone (5) and Peterson;

Gehman and Holm, Sarni (6).

Sixth game—

Sacramento 1 8 2

Los Angeles 18 21 0

Batteries—MacFaden, Pillette

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Gehman and Holm, Sarni (6).

Seventh game—

Sacramento 1 8 2

Los Angeles 18 21 0

Batteries—MacFaden, Pillette

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Eighth game—

Sacramento 1 8 2

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Ninth game—

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Tenth game—

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Eleventh game—

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Twelfth game—

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Gehman and Holm, Sarni (6).

Twenty-third game—

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(3), Malone (5) and Peterson;

Ice Capades Revue At Plaza, Oak Bay

Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres' audiences are currently being convulsed by the antics of gay ice-skating rookies whose skating routine is a featured highlight of Republic's "Ice-Capades Revue."

Jackson and Lynam, the comedians, are only two of a myriad attractions presented in "Ice-Capades Revue." Such skating luminaries as Vera Hruba, Lois Dworschak, Megan Taylor, Red McCarthy and Pierre and Denise Benoit, and such screen stars as Ellen Drew, Richard Denning, Jerry Colonna, Vera Vague, Marlene Dietrich, and others, are all here.

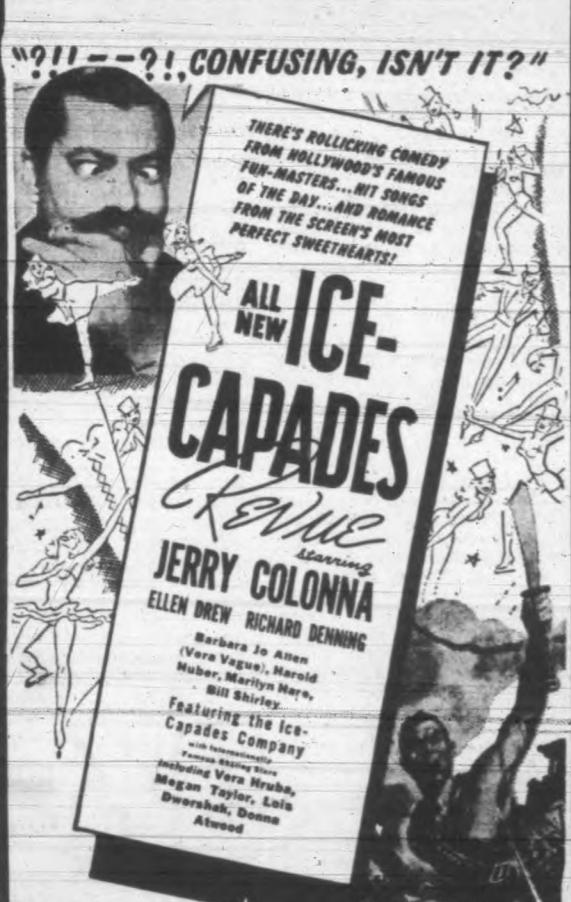
Lyn Hare and Bill Shirley are headlined.

Although Jackson and Lynam were both born and brought up in Seattle, their paths did not cross until they both worked in a Sonja Henie picture.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Hollywood's treatment of Chinese war themes has been praised by Patrick Pichi Sun, Chinese consul in charge of press relations for California, Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico and Colorado.

Sun visited the Paramount studios during filming of "China," the spectacular and exciting romance now at the Capitol Theatre with Alan Ladd, Loretta Young and W. Bendix as stars.



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Sgt.-Maj. Loses Voice

By TOM MERRIMAN

HEAL'S CAMP—One of the greatest ambitions of a private soldier has been realized at the Reserve Army Camp here. The regimental sergeant-major has lost his voice.

It happened three days ago. RSM. Charlie McIntosh of the Canadian Scots stood in front of his men. He mouthed a command but the ringing incisive tone was not there. It was "little more than a whisper. He tried again but as the day went on even the whisper faded so he spent a day in hospital to rest the vocal cords.

In the well organized camp, however, the absence of one man does not halt training. Each day the different branches of the army represented are learning to work together and to realize how each depends on the other.

Ordnance, transport and medical men are functioning with the machine gunners of the Canadian Scots as they would under battle conditions, all taking their place in the daily manoeuvres. The efficiency of the field ambulance in the few minor accidents dealt with has won commendation.

Visitors' day Sunday and sport days Wednesdays provide relaxation, but it is a 12- to 14-hour schedule for many of the officers, N.C.O.'s and men in camp. Lectures are the order most evenings.

COOKS ARE POPULAR

Prime favorites since the camp overcame the first day when mess orderlies were green in distributing the food are the two cooks, members of the permanent force.

They are Sgt. Dan MacSweeney, a smiling Irishman built like Jack Dempsey; and Cpl. George Jackson, a veteran of the last war with the Little Black Devils.

Both are instructors as well as cooks who have been thoroughly trained in preparing the balanced diets upon which the army insists in this war.

"Irish," as MacSweeney is known to everybody in camp, takes a pride in his job and might well do so.

It is not "cooking like mother's" the men in uniform get.

It's better than mothers could do, especially in these days of rationing.

HEY, WHAT IS THIS?

In the first place there is ample sugar in the tea and there is lots of tea. There are boiled eggs and bacon for breakfast. Jam and marmalade is served liberally. There is grapefruit, tomato juice, omelettes, deep raisin pie, oranges, rice pudding, salads with salad dressing, creamed potatoes, ham, beefsteaks and onions, biscuits—not hardtack—and the portions are invariably larger than the average man can eat in spite of the appetite worked up by training.

There are second helpings for the heavy eaters and it is a safe bet that in spite of the perspiration that has streamed from the troops in training there will be more than a few bulging waistlines, especially among those doing the lighter job. Probably a few added pounds, too, for those on strenuous training.

They'll blame it on the cooking of "Irish" and his assistant.

"There is no comparison," says

George, "between the grub being served in this war and the grub we got in the last war. I don't think anybody feeds better than the troops. They are getting top grade stuff and balanced diets. You can cook better in quantities than you can in small portions and the army system is mapped out so the flavor of food is retained."

Bear, Unhurt, Swims To Avoid Hunters

Saanich police and J. W. Jones, game warden, announced today they did not believe that Black Bertha had been wounded when they shot at the marauder several days ago. Police saw Bertha Wednesday and she seemed unhurt.

The wily bear, police believe, acted as though she had been shot to make her escape after a posse of six police officers and hunters surrounded the animal.

Police said the large she-bear fell to the ground and did not move until they came close. Then before they could fire a shot, she got up and bounded off into the woods.

Wednesday Bertha was seen in a cherry orchard near Elk Lake, and Jones and his hunters stalked the bear for several hours. Bertha, however, made an escape by swimming across the lake.

The hunting dogs followed the bear but police had to call them back.

Bertha was seen to head towards the north end of Elk Lake. She has not been sighted since. Police believe she may be finding civilized life too trying and has returned to the hills.

More Women Named To Gov't. Positions

More and more women, as the men go off to war or take jobs in essential-war industries, are becoming government officials in British Columbia.

This week the government, by order-in-council, has appointed Miss Edna E. Mortimore of Vancouver and Miss Marion Chidlow of Chilliwack, administrator there for the ration board, commissioners for taking affidavits.

There is now hardly a small town in British Columbia that has not a woman in an official government position.

Two new notaries public were also appointed this week—Jos. Henry MacKenzie of North Pine and Jas. Paul of Dawson Creek.

A coroner's jury found Tuesday the death of William Mykyte, 22, of Edmonton, on the Big Bend Highway July 13, was accidental, B.C. Police headquarters here learned Wednesday. Mykyte died in hospital at Revelstoke of injuries suffered when his machine and another motorcycle, ridden by William Mike Rodney, 54, of Vancouver, collided.

Bail of \$25 was ordered estreated today when a man, charged with being drunk on Fisgard Wednesday evening, failed to appear in court.



CANADIANS LAUNCHING THEIR DAWN INVASION OF SICILY—Carrying their rifles and equipment, Canadian troops jump from landing craft and wade waist-deep through the sea in their dawn assault against the island of Sicily. A picture of the landing is shown at top. Destroyers laying smoke screen to shield the invaders are pictured below.

Thousands Enjoy Elks' Concert

A crowd estimated at more than 3,000 enjoyed the Saanich Fund Concert staged by the Elks' Lodge No. 2, Victoria, at Beacon Hill Park Wednesday night and contributed approximately \$170 to the sum which will go through the city to aid the humanitarian objective.

The function was opened by Ald. D. D. McTavish, chairman of the city celebrations committee, who welcomed guests on behalf of Mayor Andrew McGavin.

Community singing under Teddy Blair sent the affair away to a happy start, with the Victoria Girls' Drill Team under Norman Foster providing one of the features in a display of marching and drill.

Bert White, novelty violinist, who represented the lodgment at the concert; Reg Stofer, guitarist and impersonator; Joe Dobbie, comedian; Bert Anderson, saxophone soloist; and Gnr. Charles Howe, Coast Artillery School of Instruction, rendered excellent solos, while Miss Grace McLeod and Mrs. N. Bertucci and her orchestra provided accompaniments.

Master of ceremonies was Percy Payne, past president of the local lodge.

An entertainment for performers at lodges headquarters followed the concert.

Friday night, Ald. W. H. Davies announced, the city will hold its regular cheer-up concert at Beacon Hill, continuing the two-week schedule arranged for the entertainment of servicemen and their friends.

Movie Star Now

Rookie in B.C. Camp

Douglas Montgomery, producer and star of many a stage hit and the star of the moving picture version of "Little Man, What Now?" and other Hollywood productions, is now a lance-corporal at the Canadian army basic training centre at Vernon, B.C.

In addition to his instructional duties, the former actor is active in camp entertainment and a contributor of outstanding verse to the camp paper, "Rookie."

With the support of another young actor, Cpl. Gilchrist Stuart, who, like Montgomery, produced and will be one of the cast of "Rookies Play Hokey," identified by Montgomery as "the poor man's army show."

Cpl. Gilchrist, well-known to English theatre-goers, was active in Hollywood until he enlisted, appearing in many movies, including "A Yank in the R.A.F."

All coupons for cannning sugar will become valid Monday, July 26, instead of the coupons falling due on different dates, it was announced from the local office of Wartime Prices and Trade Board today.

Local office was advised of the move by C. H. Bell, regional head at Vancouver. Housewives may, by the new ruling, use any or all their coupons on or after July 26.

Canning Coupons Valid

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His car was involved in an accident on the Malahat. Two other drivers paid \$5 fines and \$2.50 costs for ignoring stop signs,

while another motorist paid \$5 and \$2.50 costs for having no driver's license.

Navy Recruiting Centre Opened In City Today

Recruiting campaign for Canada's rapidly expanding navy was intensified today with the official opening of a new recruiting centre for Royal Canadian Navy and Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service at 1238 Government Street.

At 11 this morning, Capt. Maasy Goolden, R.C.N., naval officer in charge, Esquimalt, inspected the well-equipped new recruiting office which is located in Dominion government property, formerly the site of the old Adelphi Hotel at the southwest intersection of Government and Yates.

The N.O.I.C. was accompanied by Cmdr. R. P. Kingscote, R.C.N., executive officer, H.M.C.S. Naden, Esquimalt. Also in attendance was Lieut. H. W. Patterson, R.C.N.V.R., naval auxiliary service officer.

The opening ceremony was preceded by a parade by the R.C.N. band, 50 strong, led by Lieut. H. G. Cuthbert, R.C.N.V.R.

The band, parading from the City Hall, marched south on Douglas to Fort, west to Government, north to Yates, and counter-marched in front of the recruiting centre, watched by thousands along the route.

The first to offer to transfer were three fellows of the R.C.A.F. in uniform.

Naval displays are on view in the front windows of the recruiting centre.

KIT ON DISPLAY

One is a complete free kit which is issued to every man joining up. It includes everything a sailor needs from hammock to respirator and from tooth brush to running shoes costing \$110 per outfit.

Another window is decorated with colored illustrations of navy ships and prowess, with placards conveniently placed to induce recruiting.

Young fellows required for the navy must be 17½ years of age who have passed Grade 8 in school.

The new recruiting centre in the city will occupy its present location for the duration.

LIEUT. SCOTT IN CHARGE

In charge of the centre is Lieut. D. S. Scott, R.C.N.V.R., of Victoria, his assistant being Sub-Lt. R. G. Humphries, R.C.N.V.R.

Sub-Lt. Clyde Gilmour, R.C.N.V.R. relations officer, was over for the ceremony. Sub-Lt. Agnes D. Smith, W.R.C.N.S., of Edmonton, recruiting officer for British Columbia, attended the opening and was introduced to Capt. Goolden, explaining the nature of the recruiting duties.

The "permanent women's re-

ruitment" is to be conducted by Capt. Stuart, who has been appointed to the post.

Youngsters are invited to call at the recruiting office for information.

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3 Saanich Fires Set

Fire Chief Joseph Law announced today three fires Saanich firemen attended at Douglas and Vernon Wednesday afternoon apparently were set. He said he believed children were responsible.

The three fires were about 200 feet apart. Saanich firemen were called to the blazes at 4:50 Tuesday afternoon. Although the fires ran over an area of grass and bush, no damage was reported.

In the evening firemen returned to the same scene for another fire, although they are not sure whether the fourth blaze was set or caused by smoldering from the former fires.

For two and a half hours another Saanich fire crew battled a blaze on Queenswood Drive. This bush fire did no damage.

Surprise Picnic At Willows Park

A "surprise" picnic will be held for children at the Willows Beach Park Saturday morning, and tickets for admission may be obtained from Mrs. E. J. Costain, director, it was announced by the Oak Bay Playgroup committee today.

Other activities listed for the coming week are as follows: Oak Bay Playgroup activities at Windsor Park Monday and softball game Monday evening at 7 between Oak Bay and Central Park at Central and Pembroke Streets; wiener roast at Beacon Hill Park at 7 Thursday afternoon and splash party Thursday at 10 in the morning for boys and girls at the Crystal Garden.

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Arives Overseas

Pte. Lawrence E. Watts, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Watts, Island Highway, Colwood, has arrived overseas. He is with a tank corps. He was born at Langford and went to Colwood School.

First Employees Begin Training At Boeing Plant

While plant arrangements proceeded, the first group of Victoria men and women who will work in Boeing Aircraft of Canada branch plant, in premises taken over from Thos. Plimley Ltd., started training today.

Under competent instructors a crew of 30, 11 of them men, started their practical studies, learning use of tools and general routine which is the necessary background for their work. They will be followed by others until a personnel of 200 has been broken in to a type of work entirely new to the city.

That 200, in turn, will be the backbone of a staff which may reach 500 as expansion continues and more floor area of the plant is taken over for production.

The courses given women and men will be streamlined. Every effort will be made to get into production without delay to avoid tie-ups in schedules in other plants in the northwest region. Instruction for the first group will take at least two weeks.

Initial work will be on floats and braces, which fold up and become the PBY wing-tip.

Tools and jigs were moving into the plant as the students began training at their benches. Majority of the employees were young women with older men forming a third of the group.

Officials today decided to predict what expansions would take place. They pointed to floor space already earmarked for the float and brace job and said more had been set aside for other operations.

Satisfaction was expressed with the personnel so far engaged locally.

Guards Suggested For Thetis Lake

A strong recommendation that lifeguards be stationed at Thetis Lake on Sundays, holidays and Wednesday afternoons was included in the verdict of accidental death through drowning at the inquest of OS. Joseph Paul Poupart, R.C.N.V.R., held today at McCallum Bros. Funeral Home.

Coroner E. C. Hart, commenting on the verdict, said that two or three of these accidents occur every year in the lakes near Victoria, and in nearly every case the victim has exaggerated his prowess as a swimmer. It should be realized that these lakes are not safe for anyone who is not an experienced swimmer, said the coroner.

Recently there have been calls for ordinary seamen, stokers, stewards and cooks and more recruits for these branches of the service are required. Establishment of the central city office is expected to greatly stimulate recruiting here.

Attracted by the display this morning a number of young men signified their intention of joining up, apparently eager to be the first.

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Naval displays are on view in the front windows of the recruiting centre.

FARMERS!

Alaska Connection Discussed Here

Prospects of a highway through British Columbia, linking the United States, with Alaska, were discussed in detail by Premier John Hart and representatives of Victoria Chamber of Commerce and Vancouver Board of Trade at the Parliament Buildings today.

From Vancouver came S. S. McKeen, president of the trade; W. E. Payne, secretary, and T. C. Clarke, who looks so much like President Roosevelt that Mrs. Roosevelt commented on the likeness when she met him in Seattle a few days ago. Victoria Chamber of Commerce was represented by J. V. Johnson, president. The conference in the Premier's office lasted nearly two hours.

Todays meeting arranged a conference for next month between the Chamber of Commerce, Board of Trade, Premier Hart and the 15 B.C. members of the House of Commons.

It is expected that Premier Hart will visit the Peace River area and survey northern development and highway routes before this meeting.

The delegation today gave Mr. Hart a full report of the recent meeting in Seattle of the Pacific Northwest Trade Association.

About USED PIANOS

To be a good investment it must have been born under a good name, it must NOT have been too badly treated, and, most of all, it must have been restored, retuned, refinished, refurbished and rejuvenated by people who know how. We have several such pianos in our stock now, and we definitely are "People Who Know How." Names such as Heintzman, Nordheimer, Steinway, Mason & Risich are often seen among them and prices are such that every one of these fine used pianos represents a bargain you'll brag about for life.

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Reporter (Social Editor) - Beacon 3123
Reporter (Sports Editor) - Beacon 3124

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is filed, it must be made within 30 days
of the date of publication. Any claim
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advertisement, figures in groups of five or
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to have their notices copied to a newspaper at their
private address, and forwarded to their private
address. A charge of 10¢ is made for
this service. Please state in your ad.
Confidential Replies to Box Nos. 1000-10000.
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mentioning their names. If you wish to
communicate with the person who
sent you the ad, you may do so, but
your letter will be destroyed.

Subscribers wishing their addresses
changed should notify this office as well
as the carrier. If your Times is missing
please call 3200 between 8:30 and
10:30 a.m. and a copy will be sent by special
messenger.

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Letters addressed to the following boxes
are available at the Times Office on presentation
of box number. Maximum regular
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Lovely little property, only six miles from town consisting of almost 7 acres and containing house, garage, chicken house for 100 birds, garage, sheds. Two acres of raspberries and strawberries, fruit trees, apple trees. Electric power with generator, falling water. House contains living-room with fireplace, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, dinette, bathroom. Modern in every respect and in lovely condition throughout. (Only 6 years old.) Good bus service. Taxes \$14. Price \$5250.

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PREWAR VALUE

Owner Leaving City
Two Lots Laid Out in Flowers,
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ATTRACTIVE BUNGALOW containing living-room, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms, bathroom, separate toilet, cement basement, furnace. This house has a new paint inside. Everything is in excellent condition and out, and so far as we know it has never been rented. Half-minute walk to bus and close to schools. TAXES \$60.

POSSESSION 15 DAYS

This is one of the best values offered for some time and is an exclusive listing.

\$3000

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1112 Broad St. G 2022

"VICTORIA"

A bungalow—four rooms and bathroom, entrance hall, basement. Low taxes. Near street car and bus. Price \$1850. Terms half cash, balance monthly.

"SAANICH"

A bungalow—four rooms and bathroom, fireplace, high floors, garage. Low taxes. Near street car. Price \$2200. Terms, \$700 cash, balance monthly.

"ESQUIMALT"

A bungalow—five rooms and bathroom, fireplace, high floors, garage. Low taxes. Price \$1750 cash.

"SAANICH"

Four rooms and bathroom, basement, good garden. Price, cash \$2100. L. M. ROSEYEAR & CO. LTD., 118 UNION BLDG., 612 View St. G 0641

PEMBERTON'S**OAK BAY****WANTED AT ONCE**

Bungalows, semi-bungalows and houses in Oak Bay. Cash buyers wanted. We will appreciate it if you will phone Pemberton's now—G 2124.

PEMBERTON & SON LTD.

60 Port St. G 2124

CLOSE IN

Five-room semi-bungalow, newly painted. Duroid roof. Neat fence around two lots, well stocked vegetable garden, chicken house, basement and furnace. Price \$3000 cash will handle. Price \$3000

SEYMOUR AVENUE

Modern five-room stucco bungalow, oak floors, tiled sink, etc. Two lots, close to bus. Price \$4200

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GORGE

NEW CEDAR SIDING BUNGALOW This is a charming little home of five rooms, basement, furnace and garage. Located in a nice section, high and not far from transportation. At present there is no electricity, but should be ready for occupancy by the end of August. The grounds are nicely treed, affording quite a bit of shade. If you want something really nice don't miss seeing this. Only \$4000

GILLESPIE, HART & CO. LTD.

111 FORT ST. PHONE 1181
Evenings, E 6545

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Vacant 4-room Bungalow with full basement, furnace and garage. An exceptionally fine garden. Small greenhouse and chicken house. Tax \$28. Terms \$120. Price \$2950

NEW

Stucco Bungalow of 3 rooms, green house. This property is situated on 1/2 acre of land, which affords additional privacy. Located in high district. \$200 cash. Price \$4200

KING REALTY

118 VIEW ST. G 2121
Evenings: B 2227, G 1227, B 2227, E 7220

DANDY DUPLEX

A real opportunity... One unit ready for occupancy, other ready for \$20. Both 4 rooms, each entirely self-contained; 2 bathrooms; separate entrance, nice lot and garage included. Price \$2800

H. G. DALBY & CO. LTD.

688 VIEW ST. OPPOSITE SPENCER'S OFFICE, E 6541 EVENING E 1328

OAK BAY

Five-room Stucco Bungalow. Basement, furnace, refrigerator, E 6541. Heated, \$4200 cash. Price \$4750

Four-room Bungalow. Large living room, room in basement, furnace. High location. Price \$3500

Possession November**J. H. Whittom & Co. Ltd.**

1112 BROAD ST. E 2022 G 2022

EIGHT-MILE CIRCLE

This room cottage, garage, wooden and glass door, front porch, good well, 1/4 acre rich land, excellent garden, young fruit trees, small fruits. Everything neat and clean. \$1550

Alfred Carmichael & Co. Ltd.

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Songs-CBR
Mr. Anderson-KPO
Rhythms-KOMO
Talking Drums-CKWX
Truman Bradley-KIR
Sports-KRN
Cecil Brown-KRN, KRN at 8.55
6.00 News-CIVL
Music Hall-KOMO, KPO
Hop Harrigan-KJR
Dinner Serenade-KOMO, CBR
Major Service-KOMO, KRN
New Bridge-CJOR
Gabor Heister-KOL
Dinner Quo-Vox
6.30 News-CIVX
Spotlight Radio-KJR
Fighting Navy-CBR
Duke Range-KOL
Miss America-KOL
Stage Door Canteen-KIRO, KRN
The Fred Brady Show-KOMO
Dinner Quo-Vox
7.00 News-CHE
Gary Moore-KPO, KOMO
Walt Disney-CIVL
Raymond Gram Swings-KJR
Dinner Serenade-KOMO
Raymond Clapper-KOL
Lee Richardson-CJOR
Gabor Heister-KOL
Dinner Quo-Vox
7.30 News-KOMO
Hello-KOMO
Betty Fawcett-CJVL
Mad Myers-KJR
Dinner Serenade-KOMO
Doris Shore-CKWX
Four Lewis-KOL
News-KRN, KIRB, KJR at 7.45
8.00 News-CBR
Music Hall-KOMO, KPO
I Love a Mystery-KIRO
Symphony-CIVL
Headlines in Rhythm-CJOR
Peter Hirsch-KJR
Concert Hall-KOMO, KPO
Night Singer-KRN, KRN at 8.15
Lester Young-KJR, KJR at 8.15
Harry James-KRN, KRN at 8.15
News-CJOR at 8.15
9.30 Pacific Serenade-KOL
American Serenade-KOL
World War II-KJR
War at War-KJR
Death Mask-KOMO, KRN, KPO
Music Hall-COMO, CKWX
Hans Beaufort-KRN
Four Lewis-KOL
News-KOL
Wings to Victory-KOMO, KPO
Freedom from Want-CBR
Music Program-CJVL
Radio Broadcast-CJOR
Miss Canada-CKWX
Music Hall-COMO, CKWX
Hans Beaufort-KRN
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Four Lewis-KOL
News-KOL
10.00 News-CIVL
Music Hall-KOMO, KPO
Treasury Parade-KOMO
Symphony-KJR
Music Hall-COMO, CKWX
Radio Broadcast-CJOR
Dance Music-KPO
News-KPO at 10.45
11.00 News-KJR
Evening Rehearsal-KOMO, KPO
Music in the Night-KJR
This Moving World-KJR
CIVL-CJVR
Time to Dance-CKWX
Concert Hall-KJR at 11.15
News-CBR at 11.20
11.30 Dance-CIVL, KJR, KOMO
Kitty Lafferty-KRN, KOMO
Just About Time-CKWX
Tanner House Party-CBR
Breakfast Club-CJOR, KRN
9.00 News-KJR, CBR
Kate Smith-KRN, KRN

KVI	530	KPO	880	CKWX	960	CRR	1130
CJOR	600	KIRB	710	KJR	1060	KRL	1160
KOW	620	KOO	816	CFCN	1010	KOL	1280
KPI	640	KOMO	930	KNX	1070	CKVI	1480

Thursday Features

- 6.00 Major Bowes—KIRO.
6.00 Kraft Music Half—KOMO, KPO.
6.30 Stage Door Canteen—KIRO.
6.30 The Fred Brady Show—KOMO.
7.00 The First Line—KIRO.
7.00—Gary Moore, Durante, Cugat—KOMO.
7.30 Hello—Louise King, Dining Sisters—KOMO.
7.45 Lieut. Nelson Earl, D.S.M., R.C.N.V.R.—CJVL.
8.30 Music at War—All-Navy Show—KOMO.
9.00 Charles Ruggles' Show—KIRO.
9.00—Wings to Victory—All-Soldier Show—KJR.
9.30 Ellery Queen—KOMO, KPO.
10.00 Town Meeting of the Air—KJR.

The Open Door—KOMO.
Boats Carter—KOL
Rhythm—CIVL
Funny Money Man—CKWX
Pete Hirsch—CJVL
Big Sister—KIRB, KRN, CBR at 8.15
News-CJOR at 8.15, KOMO

9.30 Morning Concert—KOMO
Music Hall of Wars—KOMO
March—KOMO, KPO
Good Morning—KOMO
Heinz Irene—KIRO

10.00—Walker's Kitchen—KOMO, KPO
Morning Visit—CJVL
Little Beautiful—KRN, KJR
Anti-Submarine Organization, called Asdic in the navy. At present, he is staff anti-submarine officer to the captain at Esquimalt.

Speaking of the submarine kill made last July, the naval officer recalled they were about 650 miles off the Newfoundland coast.

"We were returning from the United Kingdom with about 40 ships that had discharged their cargo on the other side and were coming back for more," he recounts. "It was a sunny afternoon, a Thursday, I remember, about 3:30.

"We were cruising along quite comfortably when the lookout spotted two submarines simultaneously. One was ahead on the starboard beam; the other dead ahead.

Instructing the other escorting destroyer to get the one on their beam, the St. Croix increased speed. Lieut. Earl continued, and kept heading for the sub straight ahead, which in turn steamed away.

"We knew what the game was then," he said. "The two subs were attempting to draw the destroyers away from the convoy and there was a race as them under the water waiting to get the convoy when we had got out of range."

When the St. Croix was about 600 yards away, the sub crash dived, and the destroyer reduced speed. Lieut. Earl contacted the sub, ran the destroyer in and dropped a pattern of depth charges over the spot.

"After we'd dropped our third pattern, we found our evidence," he recalled. "There was a certain amount of fuel oil and wreckage on the surface. Of course, sometimes they try to fool you by releasing it from the sub to make it look like a kill, so to make sure we really got him, we dropped another pattern right over him and blew the wreckage into small bits."

Then we stopped and picked up our evidence—a multitude of small particles of wreckage and flesh. When you get the flesh you know you've really got him," he added.

The other destroyer didn't get the sub, she was after. Lieut. Earl continued, and the convoy had a pretty rough time for four days. By the second day they had lost a couple of ships each night.

"It was pretty bad for a while," he said, remembering the loss of the Canadian destroyer Ottawa, with the next convoy.

Life in a destroyer and some of his experiences at sea will be given by Lieut. Earl over CJVI tonight at 7:45 in connection with the "Stamp Out the U-boat" campaign by the National War Finance Committee.

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